## **A12F Teacher Attainment and Average Salary Instructions**

## **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

A12F information must be entered in the Education Statistics System (ESS) using the myNHDOE Single Sign-On System, certified by the superintendent, printed, signed by the superintendent, scanned, and e-mailed to i4See.help@doe.nh.gov by Monday, October 17, 2016.

## **SECTION I - HIGHEST EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT**

In this section, include the number of kindergarten through high school classroom and special education teachers only. This is the number in full-time equivalents (FTE) reported <u>on lines 2 through 4 of the Class and Staffing Form (A 12B)</u>. **Do not include preschool teachers**, **administrators or other non-teaching professionals**.

Please report the highest EARNED DEGREE. Note: The category "<u>Degree beyond Master's</u>" should include CAGS, but does <u>NOT include interim levels such as Master's + 15, Master's + 30, etc</u>. Do not use the teacher salary schedule data if the salary schedule includes categories that combine degrees with non-degree credits, for example "Bachelor's Plus 30/Master's."

## **SECTION II – SALARY**

Record the average salary of <u>all FULL-TIME classroom teachers</u> rounded to the nearest whole dollar. Include salary longevity and other bonuses, but do not include stipends for extracurricular or non-teaching activities, or medical insurance buy backs.

Music, art, physical education, Title I, ESL and special education teachers are considered classroom teachers and SHOULD BE INCLUDED if they are full-time.

DO NOT INCLUDE the salaries of other professional staff such as principals, guidance counselors, librarians, school nurses, etc.